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NEWS RELEASE

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U.S. Marshals Capture Auto Theft Suspects in Chicago

The U.S. Marshals Great Lakes Task Force in Chicago arrested two suspects wanted by the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office Monday afternoon. U.S. Marshals took 21-year-old Lanita N. Dotson and 25-year-old Rodney D. Lambert into custody after a Chicago police officer stopped them for a license plate violation around 12:35 p.m. Dotson was driving the stolen vehicle. Lambert was in the trunk. The suspects had been in Chicago since Friday and would take turns sleeping in the trunk of the vehicle.

On Thursday afternoon, the MCSO issued an alert for a stolen Nissan Altima. Deputy Michael Schuh located the vehicle and began to pursue the suspects. As he followed the car, he struck a Saturn sedan and the squad rolled over into the center median near Green Bay and Teutonia. The citizen was not hurt. Deputy Schuh was released from the hospital and is recovering from non life-threatening injuries.

Suspects Lanita Dotson and Rodney Lambert appear in a Chicago court tomorrow for an extradition hearing.

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